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MS PATENT APPLICATION

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of

Inventor(s): KAMOTO, Takanori; MORIMOTO, Kiyofumi;

NAKATSU, Hiromi; KINOMOTO, Masanori and

NAKAYA, Hiroaki

For: INK COMPOSITION, RECORDING METHOD AND RECORDED IMAGE

UTILIZING THE SAME, INK SET AND INK HEAD

Enclosed are:

\boxtimes	Α	specification	consisting	of	One	hundred	thirty-eight	(138)
	рa	ages						

 \boxtimes Six (6) sheet(s) formal drawings

 $oxed{\boxtimes}$ An assignment of the invention

☐ Applicant claims small entity status under 37 C.F.R. § 1.27

☐ Applicant does not claim priority

	Applicant claims the right of priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119 based on Application No(s). 2002-332752 and 2002-332753 filed in JAPAN on November 15, 2002. Certified copy(ies) is(are) attached hereto. Certified copy(ies) will follow.
\boxtimes	Executed Declaration (Original Photocopy)
	Application Data Sheet in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.76
\boxtimes	Preliminary Amendment
	Information Disclosure Statement, PTO-1449 and reference(s)
	Other:
	Applicant requests early publication - \$300.00 publication fee
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Respectfully submitted,

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